

BOARD HAPPENINGS

April 12, 2016

APRIL 12th BOARD MEETING

The following items were approved by the Board:

- Contract with Marzano Research for New Haven Middle School Training
- iPad Purchase to Support Curriculum
- Application and Receipt of Funds for Reallocated for Title III: Language Instruction for Limited English Proficient (LEP)
- Application and Receipt of Funds Reallocated for Non-English Speaking Program (NESP)
- Application and Receipt of Funds for Competitive High Ability Grant
- Grades 8-12 World Languages Digital Textbook Adoption
- Participation in the State Development Network with the IDOE

The following items were given to the Board as information:

- Allocations/Grant Awards for EACS – First Quarter 2016
- Young Explorers Summer Refugee Program
- Summer School Plan
- The "Get Schooled Tour" at EACS

RECOGNITIONS



Elizabeth Hogle, an 8th grader at **Woodlan Jr./Sr. High School**, petitioned the EACS' administration to have an American Sign Language class offered as a foreign language credit. She did all she could to see that this happened, and she was recognized for her efforts. Due to her efforts, American Sign Language will be offered beginning with the 2016-17SY. Over 200 students have already signed up to take this class next school year. Awesome!

The 62nd Annual Journal Gazette Scripps Spelling Bowl (county qualifying round) was recently held at each of EACS' participating schools. The top two qualifiers from each participating school were recognized. They will represent EACS in the next round:

Heritage Elementary School

Lydia Geise (Grade 5) - Winner
Marcelo Ackerman (Grade 6) - Runner-Up

New Haven Middle School

Olivia Stomm (Grade 6) – Winner
Destiny Ward (Grade 7) - Runner-Up



Woodlan Elementary School

Eliza Loudon (Grade 5) - Winner
Reagan Snyder (Grade 5) - Runner-Up

PERSONNEL

~ Welcome New Hires ~

- Ty Copeland, bus monitor
- Connell Nelson, paraprofessional, PCA
- Jennifer Timmis, paraprofessional, WOEL
- Wendy Wilhelm, bus monitor

~ Retirements ~ (effective end of school year unless otherwise stated)

- Ron Dubach, teacher, LEEL/NHIS
- Vicki Rutan, secretary, LEHS, eff. 6/8/16
- Diana Schaper, teacher, CEEL/NHPS, eff. 3/31/16
- Michelle Scott, paraprofessional, CEEL
- Margaret Smith, teacher, NHIS

~ Resignations ~ (effective end of school year unless otherwise stated)

- Melanie Bremer, food service, LEHS, eff. 3/21/16
- Janet Fincher, food service, PHJH, eff. 3/24/16
- Trisha Lovett, secretary, LEHS, eff. 6/8/16
- Kelsey Shaum, teacher, HEEL
- William Walls, bus driver, eff. 3/23/16